

The Old Laney Parcel

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The first Log School was on this site; also on the Northeast corner of the Old Lehi Fort. The United States government paid \$188 per year rent for the post office there. Laney family had the property for 48 years. In 1901 there was a Drugstore.

From 1906-1919, there was the Bank of Lehi. In 1914, the bank safe would not open. It took 6 days, 16 hours per day for two experts to open. In 1938, Goodwin's Golden Rule was there.

Ross was the builder of the building. His business Ross and Ross General Merchandise only lasted for 90 days. He extended credit too freely.

In 1904 it was the Lehi Cast Store. In 1907, burglars were found in the building at 4 a.m. by Officer Sabey. He fired two shots and then went to get help. Investigation showed the size of shoes, shirts and suits taken. Within two days, the burglars were apprehended in Salt Lake and Provo, from the size and color of shirts, shoes and suits they were wearing.

Upstairs has housed Doctor offices, photographic studios, Odd Fellow Lodge, Lehi Commercial Club, American Legion and other businesses.